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	No. 18-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 25th February, 1957.	Ditto.	Import policy for Machine Tools during January-June 1957.
	No. 20-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 26th February, 1957.	Ditto.	Grant of Actual Users licences for certain items to Sports Goods Industry.
24	No. 19-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 28th February, 1957.	Ditto.	Shifting of the Statistical Division of the Office of the Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, New Delhi, to the Multi-storeyed building, King Edward Road, New Delhi.
	No. 21-ITC(PN)/57, dated the 28th February, 1957.	Ditto.	Import of Art Silk Fabrics during January-June 1957 period.

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PART I—Section 1

**Notifications relating to Non-Statutory Rules, Regulations and Orders and Resolutions issued
by the Ministries of the Government of India (other than the Ministry of Defence) and by
the Supreme Court**

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT

New Delhi, the 26th February 1957

No. 18-Pres./57.—The President is pleased to award the President's Police and Fire Services Medal for gallantry to the undermentioned Officer of the late Vindhya Pradesh State Police:—

Name of the Officer and rank.—Shri Hardeo Singh, Platoon Commander, S.A.F., Vindhya Pradesh.

Statement of services for which the decoration has been awarded.—On the morning of the 11th July 1956, Platoon Commander Hardeo Singh was sent out with a section consisting of 1 Head Constable and 11 Constables to patrol the dense Jungle hideouts of dacoits operating in Vindhya Pradesh and the neighbouring States. While marching along the bank of the Sindh river he noticed two armed persons at Bisore Ghat. On challenging them he was fired upon by one of them. He returned the fire and shot down one of the desperadoes, while his section shot down the other. Within a few minutes the Platoon Commander and his party found themselves encircled by a gang of about 40 armed dacoits who had emerged from the jungle. Shri Hardeo Singh ordered his men to positions of cover and directed their fire on the advancing dacoits. He shot down two of them. His calling out of orders deceived the dacoits into believing that there were other forces on the flanks; they wavered in their attack and were driven back.

In this encounter which lasted for about two hours, one Constable was killed but four dacoits had been shot down. Platoon Commander Hardeo Singh displayed outstanding courage, presence of mind and leadership of a high order.

2. This award is made for gallantry under rule 4(i) of the rules governing the award of the President's Police and Fire Services Medal and consequently carries with it the special allowance admissible to officers of and below the rank of Inspector of Police as provided in rule (5).

No. 19-Pres./57.—The President is pleased to institute a medal for meritorious service in the Armed Forces and, in this behalf, to make, ordain and establish the following ordinances which shall be deemed to have effect from the twenty-fifth day of March in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Three, in the fourth year of the Republic of India:—

Firstly.—The Medal shall be styled and designated the "MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL".

Secondly.—The medal shall be circular in shape, 1.42 inches in diameter and made of standard silver. It shall have embossed on the obverse the State Emblem seven-eighth inches in height with the motto "सत्यमेव जयते" and decorative lotus buds along the periphery. On the reverse it shall have the inscriptions "FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE" and "मराहनीय सेवा के लिये" within a lotus wreath. The medal shall have a scroll pattern swivel fitting one and five-sixteenth inches in width for the riband. A sealed pattern of the medal shall be deposited and kept.

Thirdly.—The medal shall be suspended from the left breast by a riband of brown silk, one and a quarter inches in width, edged with white and divided equally by three narrow vertical strips each one-sixteenth of an inch in dark blue, red and light blue, in that order: the light blue stripe being nearest to the left shoulder.

Fourthly.—The medal shall be awarded annually by the respective Chiefs of Staff to selected individuals from the following categories of personnel who have a minimum of 18 years' service distinguished by highly good conduct:—

In the Army to Havildars and Dafadars.

In the Navy to Chief Petty Officers, Petty Officers and, their equivalents in other Branches; and

In the Air Force to Warrant Officers, Flight Sergeants and Sergeants.

For the purpose of the award only such service as counts for pension and gratuity shall be taken into consideration.

Fifthly.—There shall be a fixed establishment for the award of the medal to each service which shall be determined by the Government from time to time. Vacancies in the establishment shall be filled on the death, discharge, reduction in rank or promotion to a Commissioned rank of a recipient or on forfeiture of the medal.

Sixthly.—It shall be competent for the Government to frame such instructions as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of these ordinances.

No. 20-Pres./57.—The President is pleased to institute a medal for long service and good conduct in the Armed Forces and, in this behalf, to make, ordain and establish the following ordinances which shall be deemed to have effect from the twenty-fifth day of March in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Three, in the fourth year of the Republic of India:—

Firstly.—The medal shall be styled and designated the "LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL".

Secondly.—The medal shall be circular in shape, 1.42 inches in diameter and made of standard silver. It shall have embossed on the obverse the State Emblem seven-eighth inches in height with the motto सत्यमेव जयते and decorative lotus buds along the periphery. On the reverse it shall have the inscriptions "FOR LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT" and "दीर्घ सेवा और सवाचरण के लिये" within a lotus wreath. The medal shall have a scroll pattern swivel fitting one and five-sixteenth inches in width for the riband. A sealed pattern of the medal shall be deposited and kept.

Thirdly.—The medal shall be suspended from the left breast by a riband of silk one and a quarter inches in width. Five-eighths of an inch of the centre of the riband shall be brown, edged with vertical stripes of light blue, dark blue and red each one-sixteenth of an inch in width and broader white stripes of twice that width on the outer edges.

Fourthly.—The medal shall be awarded annually by the respective Chiefs of Staff to such selected individuals from the following categories of personnel as may have rendered a minimum of 18 years' combatant or non-combatant service in the Army or in the Air Force or a minimum of 15 years' service in the Navy, distinguished throughout by highly good conduct:—

In the Army to non-commissioned officers and other ranks below the rank of Dafadar/Havildar, including enrolled non-combatants;

In the Navy to Continuous Service Ratings of the rank of Petty Officer and below, excluding ordinary seamen and their equivalent in other branches; and

In the Air Force to Corporals and Aircraftsmen. For the purpose of the award, only such service as counts for pension and gratuity shall be taken into consideration.

Fifthly.—The total number of awards to be made in each Service shall be fixed by the Government from time to time.

Sixthly.—It shall be competent for the Government to frame such instructions as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of these ordinances.

C. S. VENKATACHAR, Secy.

PLANNING COMMISSION

New Delhi, the 4th March 1957

No. PC(SR)69/56.—Shri M. Hayath, Member, Central Water and Power Commission, has been appointed as a member of the Panel of Scientists whose constitution was announced in Planning Commission Resolution No. PC(SR)69/56 dated the 10th April, 1956.

B. V. IYENGAR, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

(Department of Economic Affairs)

New Delhi, the 22nd February 1957

No. F.3 (1)-F.I./56.—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India as on the 15th February, 1957.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000	Notes	11,27,90,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin †	10,83,000
National Agricultural Credit (Long-term Operations) Fund	15,00,00,000	Subsidiary Coin	14,60,000
National Agricultural Credit (Stabilisation) Fund	1,00,00,000	Bills Purchased and Discounted :—	
Deposits :—		(a) Internal,
(a) Government :—		(b) External
(1) Central Government	52,25,29,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	1,64,92,000
(a) Other Governments	12,47,59,000	Balances held abroad*	113,43,32,000
(b) Banks	51,59,01,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	6,72,70,000
(c) Others	42,39,50,000	Other Loans and Advances†	120,32,78,000
Bills Payable	13,64,28,000	Investments	44,01,91,000
Other Liabilities	112,27,77,000	Other Assets	13,04,48,000
TOTAL	310,63,44,000	TOTAL	310,63,44,000

*Includes Cash and Short Term Securities.

†(1) The item 'Other Loans and Advances' includes Rs. 59,18,06,000 advanced to scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act.

(2) The total amount of advances availed of by scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act since 1st January 1957 is Rs. 88,16,03,000.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 15th day of February, 1957.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	11,27,90,000		A.—Gold Coin and Bullion :—		
Notes in circulation	1515,62,27,000		(a) Held in India	117,76,03,000	
Total Notes issued		1526,90,17,000	(b) Held outside India	
			Foreign Securities	412,51,91,000	
			Total of A		530,27,94,000
			B.—Rupee Coin		121,58,79,000
			Government of India Rupee Securities		875,03,44,000
			Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial paper
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1526,90,17,000	TOTAL ASSETS		1526,90,17,000

Dated the 20th day of February, 1957.

K. G. AMBEGAOKAR, Governor.
H. M. PATEL, Secy.

New Delhi, the 26th February 1957

No. F. 3 (1)-FI/56.—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India as on the 22nd February, 1957.

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000	Notes	21,07,90,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin	10,20,000
National Agricultural Credit (Long-term Operations) Fund	15,00,00,000	Subsidiary Coin	15,44,000
National Agricultural Credit (Stabilisation) Fund	1,00,00,000	Bills Purchased and Discounted :—	
Deposits :—		(a) Internal
(a) Government :—		(b) External
(1) Central Government	53,98,47,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	2,02,83,000
(2) Other Governments	11,23,90,000	Balances held abroad*	106,35,15,000
(b) Banks	56,48,09,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	7,71,70,000
(c) Others	42,26,72,000	Other Loans and Advances†	112,65,67,000
Bills Payable	12,99,80,000	Investments	51,65,34,000
Other Liabilities	111,79,53,000	Other Assets	13,02,28,000
TOTAL	314,76,51,000	TOTAL	314,76,51,000

*Includes Cash and Short term Securities.

†(1) The item 'Other Loans and Advances' includes Rs. 58,85,15,000 advanced to scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act.

(2) The total amount of advances availed of by scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act since 1st January 1957 is Rs. 99,35,12,000.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 22nd day of February, 1957.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	21,07,90,000		A.—Gold Coin and Bullion :—		
Notes in circulation	1506,24,61,000		(a) Held in India	117,76,03,000	
Total Notes issued		1527,32,51,000	(b) Held outside India	
			Foreign Securities	412,51,91,000	
			Total of A		530,27,94,000
			B.—Rupee Coin		122,01,13,000
			Government of India Rupee Securities		875,03,44,000
			Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial paper
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1527,32,51,000	TOTAL ASSETS		1527,32,51,000

Dated the 26th day of February, 1957.

K. G. AMBEGAOKAR, Governor.

B. K. NEHRU, Secy.

(Communications Division)

New Delhi, the 28th February 1957

No. 2/PLI/57.—The President hereby directs that the following further amendments shall be made in the Rules relating to Postal Life Insurance and Endowment Assurance namely :—

In the said Rules, for rule 9 and notes there under the following shall be substituted; namely:—

9. Assignments and Nominations.—(1) In registering any assignment, nomination or appointment of any person to receive the money secured by the policy in the event of the insured's death during the minority of the nominee, the Post Office Insurance Fund assumes no responsibility whatsoever as to the validity thereof.

(2) While the Fund does not prescribe any particular forms for assignment or nomination, or for the notice thereof, specimens of the forms that may be used can be had from the Post Master-General on application.

(3) Assignment.—(a) Policies may be assigned by the policy-holder, either:—

- (i) for valuable consideration; or
- (ii) by way of gift.

(b) The assignment may be made either by an endorsement on the reverse of the policy itself or by a separate deed. The assignment must be dated and signed by the assignor in the presence of a witness and a notice in writing of the same must be given to the Postmaster-General. An assignment, otherwise complete, will be inoperative against the Fund unless due notice of the assignment has been delivered to the Postmaster-General. The notice of assignment must be accompanied by the policy duly endorsed or, where the assignment has been effected by a separate deed, by the deed of assignment or a copy thereof duly certified to be correct by both the assignor and the assignee or their duly authorised agents. The priority of claims under a policy will be governed by the dates on which the notices of the assignments have been received by the Postmaster-General at his office.

(c) After the assignment of a policy is once effected, the policy cannot be dealt with any further by the assignor and the only person competent to deal with it will be the assignee. In order to enable the policyholder to deal with the policy again he should have a re-assignment in writing in his own favour executed by the assignee, attested by one or more witnesses, and registered in the records of the Postmaster-General.

(d) A fee of one rupee is charged for registering an assignment and furnishing a written acknowledgment thereof except where the assignment is made in favour of (i) the husband, wife, or child of the policyholder, or (ii) a recognised Provident Fund for payment of premia under the policy.

(4). **Nomination.**—(a) A policyholder is advised to nominate a person to whom the sum assured shall become payable in the event of his death so as to save his legal heirs the trouble and expense of obtaining legal title to the sums payable under the policy.

(b) The holder of a policy of life assurance on his own life may, when effecting the policy or at any time before the policy matures for payment, nominate the person or persons to whom the money secured by the policy is desired to be paid in the event of his death.

(c) Where the proposer gives the name of the intended nominee or nominees in the proposal form itself, the Fund will incorporate the name of such nominee or nominees in the text of the policy. A nomination, if not incorporated in the text of the policy, can be made only by an endorsement on the policy. In order to be effective, such endorsement must be communicated to the Postmaster-General for being recorded in his books. A nomination may, at any time before the policy matures for payment, be cancelled or changed by the assured by an endorsement or a further endorsement or a will, as the case may be, but the Fund will not be liable for any payment under the policy made *bona-fide* by it to a nominee mentioned in the text of the policy or to the one nominated by an endorsement on the policy and registered in the records of the Fund unless notice in writing of any such cancellation or change has been received by the Postmaster-General prior to such payment. A fee of one rupee is charged for registering the cancellation or change in the nomination.

(d) A transfer or assignment of a policy made in accordance with the provisions of section 38 of the Insurance Act, 1938 (4 of 1938) shall automatically cancel a nomination, provided that the assignment of a policy to the insurer who bears the risk on the policy at the time of the assignment, in consideration of a loan granted by that insurer on the security of the policy within its surrender value, or its re-assignment by the insurer on repayment of the loan shall not have the effect of cancelling a nomination, but shall affect the rights of the nominee only to the extent of the insurer's interest in the policy.

(e) Where the policy matures for payment during the life time of the person whose life is insured or where the nominee or, if there are more nominees than one, all the nominees die before the policy matures for payment, the amount secured by the policy shall be payable to the policyholder or his heirs or legal representatives or the holder of a succession certificate, as the case may be.

(f) Where the nominee or, if there are more nominees than one, a nominee or nominees survive the person whose life is insured, the amount secured by the policy shall be payable to such survivor or survivors.

(g) **Minor Nominee.**—The holder of a policy of life insurance may, in any case where the nominee is a minor, appoint any person to receive the money secured by the policy in the event of his death during the minority of the nominee and communicate such appointment to the Fund by forwarding the documents relating to such appointment to the Postmaster-General. The consent of the appointee should be obtained at the same time as the appointment is made.

(h) Nominations as above are not permissible in the case of policy effected by any married man on his own life and expressed on the face of it to be for the benefit of his wife, or of his wife and children, or any of them; in such a case the policy ensures and is deemed to be a trust for the benefit of the insurer's wife or for the benefit of his wife and children or any of them according to the interest so expressed (*vide* section 6 of the Married Women's Property Act, 1874):

Provided that the said section 6 shall be deemed not to apply or not to have applied to a policy where the nomination made at any time in favour of the insurer's wife or the insurer's wife and children or any of them is expressed, whether or not on the face of the policy, as being made under section 39 of the Insurance Act, 1938.

NOTE. 1.—Assignment of policies made in compliance with rule 21 (viii) (a) of the G.P. Fund Rules, which, in essence, is an assignment for valuable consideration, should also be registered in the office of the Postmaster-General under this rule.

NOTE 2.—Assignment of policy as a whole may be made either in favour of one person or jointly in favour of two or more persons.

NOTE 3.—In the case of an absolute assignment, all rights of the assured are vested in the assignee by an assignment and the assignee may therefore be entitled to claim the surrender value of the policy under rule 34 without the consent of assured.

M. M. GANDOTRA, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER INDUSTRIES

ORDER

New Delhi, the 26th February 1957

No. CCI/SPE/329/56/1129.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 041605/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th April 1956, valued at Rs. 1240 for the import of Instruments apparatus and appliances other than electrical including cinematographic but excluding articles, otherwise specified in this schedule and also excluding items covered by Sr. No. 92(n) of Pt. V, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Calcutta, to M/s. Ganesh Bhandar, 20/1, Collin St., Calcutta, was obtained on misrepresentation of facts, whereas Notice No. CCI/SPE/329/56/N/57, dated the 31st October 1956, asking the said firm why the said licence should not be cancelled, has since been received back undelivered from the postal authorities with the remarks "NOT KNOWN" and whereas no other Bank or any other party who may be having interest in the said licence has come forward, the Government of India in the late Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, hereby cancel the said licence No. N 041605/52/NC/CCI/C, dated the 12th April 1956, issued to the said M/s. Ganesh Bhandar, 20/1, Collin St., Calcutta.

NOTICES

New Delhi, the 25th February 1957

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/975.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 067227, dated the 18th October 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of other types of Motors from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Shah Kantilal Jagjivandas, Damnagar, Saurashtra, was obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licence No. N 067227 dated the 18th October 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Shah Kantilal Jagjivandas, Damnagar, Saurashtra, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(2) In view of what is stated above M/s. Shah Kantilal Jagjivandas, Damnagar, Saurashtra, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 067227, dated the 18th October 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/989.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (1) N 056341, dated 5th June 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Paper O.S. (2) N 054516, dated 12th March 1956, valued at Rs. 2,447 for import of Packing and Wrapping Papers, (3) N 066579, dated 25th September 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Milling Cutters, (4) N 056335, dated 4th June 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Milling Cutters, (5) N 056342, dated 5th June 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500 for import of Machine Worked Cutters, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Vijay Trading Corporation, Sorab House, 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer

Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 056341, dated 5th June 1956, (2) N 054516, dated 12th March 1956, (3) N 066579, dated 25th September 1956, (4) N 056335, dated 4th June 1956, (5) N 056342, dated 5th June 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Vijay Trading Corporation, Sorab House, 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(ii) In view of what is stated above M/s. Vijay Trading Corporation, Sorab House, 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. (1) N 056341, dated 5th June 1956, (2) N 054516, dated 12th March 1956, (3) N 066579, dated 25th September 1956, (4) N 056335, dated 4th June 1956, (5) N 056342, dated 5th June 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1003.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. N 067353 dated the 26th October 1956, valued at Rs. 4,984 for import of other types of motors and N 067352 dated the 26th October 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Fractional H.P. Motors from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. M. G. Corporation, Mill Gin Corporation, 31, Forbes Street, Bombay were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. N 067353 dated the 26th October 1956, and N 067352 dated the 26th October 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. M. G. Corporation, Mill Gin Corporation, 31, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

In view of what is stated above M/s. M. G. Corporation, Mill Gin Corporation, 31, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. N 067353 dated the 26th October 1956, and N 067352 dated the 26th October 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE-14/57/1017.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. N 067666 dated the 1st November 1956 valued at Rs. 4,741 for import of other types of Motors and N 067665 dated the 1st November 1956 valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Fractional H.P. Motors from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. United Sales Corporation, 172-74, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay-1, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. N 067666 dated the 1st November 1956 and N 067665 dated the 1st November 1956 unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. United Sales Corporation, 172-74, Hornby Road, Fort Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

In view of what is stated above M/s. United Sales Corporation, 172-74, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. N 067666 dated the 1st November 1956 and N 067665 dated the 1st November 1956 are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1031.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. N 058117, dated 18th September 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of other types of Motors (2) N 058118 dated 18th September 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Fractional H.P. Motors, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. R. Manilal &

Co., Yusuf Manzil, 58, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay-1, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 058117 dated 18th September 1956, (2) N 058118 dated 18th September 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. R. Manilal & Co., Yusuf Manzil, 58, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay-1, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(ii) In view of what is stated above M/s. R. Manilal & Co., Yusuf Manzil, 58, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay-1, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. (1) N 058117 dated 18th September 1956, (2) N 058118 dated 18th September 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

New Delhi, the 26th February, 1957

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1045.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (1) N 067602, dated 26th October, 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of other types of Motors, (2) N 067668, dated 1st November, 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Fractional H.P. Motors, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Kurwa and Kajiji, 140-44, Abdul Rehman Street, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in paragraph 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 067602, dated 26th October 1956, (2) N 067668, dated 1st November, 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Kurwa and Kajiji, 140-44, Abdul Rehman Street, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(ii) In view of what is stated above M/s. Kurwa and Kajiji, 140-44, Abdul Rehman Street, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. (1) N 067602, dated 26th October, 1956, (2) N 067668, dated 1st November, 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1059.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licences Nos. (1) N 056333, dated 4th June, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Milling Cutters, (2) N 056340, dated 5th June, 1956, valued at Rs. 1,800/- for import of Adjustable hand reamers, (3) N 058329, dated 5th June, 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper, (4) N 058228, dated 12th September, 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Asbestos manufactures, (5) N 056330, dated 4th June 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Paper O.S., (6) N 056681, dated 26th June, 1956, valued at Rs. 10,000/- for import of Asbestos manufactures, (7) N 058238, dated 22nd September, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,500/- for import of Milling Cutters, (8) N 058238, dated 22nd September, 1956, valued at Rs. 1,809/- for import of Machine worked cutters, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Kupps and Co., 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in paragraph 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, propose to cancel the said licences Nos. (1) N 056333, dated 4th June, 1956, (2) N 056340, dated 5th June, 1956, (3) N 058329, dated 5th June, 1956, (4) N 058228, dated 12th September, 1956, (5) N 056330, dated 4th June, 1956, (6) N 056681, dated 26th June 1956, (7) N 058231, dated 22nd September, 1956, (8) N 058238, dated 22nd September, 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Kupps and Co., 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(ii) In view of what is stated above M/s. Kupps and Co., 235-237, Hornby Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licences Nos. (1) N 056333, dated 4th June, 1956, (2) N 056340, dated 5th June 1956, (3) N 056329, dated 5th June, 1956, (4) N 058228, dated 12th September, 1956, (5) N 056330, dated 4th June 1956, (6) N 056881, dated 26th June, 1956, (7) N 058231, dated 22nd September, 1956, (8) N 058238, dated 22nd September, 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licences and return these immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1073.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 057779, dated the 22nd August, 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of other types of Motors, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Upadrasta and Sons, Girdhar Nivas, Colaba Causeway, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in paragraph 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, propose to cancel the said licence No. N 057779, dated the 22nd August, 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Upadrasta and Sons, Girdhar Nivas, Colaba Causeway, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(2) In view of what is stated above M/s. Upadrasta and Sons, Girdhar Nivas, Colaba Causeway, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 057779, dated the 22nd August, 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1087.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 056337, dated the 4th June, 1956, valued at Rs. 2,410/- for import of Milling Cutters, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay, to M/s. Saroj Traders, 497, Sandhurst Road, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in paragraph 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December, 1955, propose to cancel the said licence No. N 056337, dated the 4th June, 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Saroj Traders, 497, Sandhurst Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(2) In view of what is stated above M/s. Saroj Traders, 497, Sandhurst Road, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 056337, dated the 4th June, 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/54/57/1101.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 057804, dated the 25th August 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Fractional H.P. Motors, from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Jt. Chief Controller of Imports & Exports, Bombay, to M/s. New Era Engineering Co., 128, Meadows Street, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licence No. N 057804, dated the 25th August 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. New Era Engineering Co., 128, Meadows Street, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

(2) In view of what is stated above M/s. New Era Engineering Co., 128, Meadows Street, Bombay, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 057804, dated the 25th August 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

No. CCI/SPE/14/57/1115.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 040567, dated the 4th June 1956, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing and Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports, Bombay to M/s. United Sales Corporation, 89, Sagar Vihar, Bombay, were obtained on misrepresentation of facts, it is, therefore hereby notified, that the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Consumer Industries, in exercise of the powers specified in para 9 of the Imports (Control) Order, 1955, dated the 7th December 1955, propose to cancel the said licence No. N 040567, dated the 4th June 1956, unless sufficient cause against this is furnished to the Chief Controller of Imports, Church Road Hutments, New Delhi, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. United Sales Corporation, 89, Sagar Vihar, Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

In view of what is stated above M/s. United Sales Corporation, 89, Sagar Vihar, Bombay or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 040567, dated the 4th June 1956, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi.

S. N. BILGRAMI, Jt. Secy.

MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES

ADDENDUM

New Delhi, the 25th February 1957

No. Con. Ind. (B)-31(2)/54.—In paragraph 1 of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry's Resolution No. L. Ind. 31(2)/54, dated the 17th January, 1956, regarding the Panel for Surgical Appliances and allied items published in Part 1, Section I of the Gazette of India, dated the 21st January, 1956, as modified by addenda dated the 18th February, and 18th September, 1956, please add the following:—

10. Sen. Ldr. P. Dharma Raj, Deputy Assistant Director General, Office of the D. G. A. F. M. & S., Ministry of Defence, New Delhi ..
.....co-opted Member.

ORDER

Ordered that a copy of the above addendum be communicated to all concerned, and that it be published in the Gazette of India.

B. B. SAKSENA, Joint Secy.

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(Railway Board)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 4th March 1957

No. E57CO1/3(RB1).—A large number of bridges including their protection works were designed and constructed in this country in the latter half of the last century on the basis of technical knowledge and with the data then available. Hydraulic Science and technical knowledge in this sphere have since advanced considerably and further data has become available. It would, therefore, be profitable at this stage to review the designs of bridges in the light of the latest knowledge and experience gained and to indicate the standards which should generally guide the design of new bridges in future. With this object in view, it has been decided to set up a committee of engineers to investigate and review the methods of estimating the maximum flood discharge from catchment areas in order to determine the waterway etc., and other connected works required in connection with the design of bridges.

2. The Committee will consist of:—

- (i) Shri A. N. Khosla, Vice Chancellor, Roorkee University.Chairman
- (ii) Major-General R. E. Aserappa, Engineer-in-Chief, Ministry of Defence.Member
- (iii) Shri N. K. Roy, Additional Member (Works), Railway Board.Member
- (iv) Shri H. P. Sinha, Consulting Engineer (Roads), Ministry of Transport.Member
- (v) Shri D. R. Mehta, Chief Engineer, Central Water & Power Commission.Member
- (vi) Shri B. C. Ganguli, Jt. Director Civil Engineering, Railway Board.Secretary

3. The Chairman and the Members of the Committee will do this work in addition to their existing duties.

4. The terms of reference of the Committee are as follows:—

- (i) to indicate for different regions the method of determining the maximum discharge to design the waterway for bridges. In places where empirical formulae are recommended to be used, the value of constants to be prescribed for guidance;
- (ii) to indicate the general principles for determining the extent of bed scour for the design of foundations and the design of training works, the extent of afflux to be permitted at bridge openings for the peak discharge the minimum freeboard for various types and sizes of bridges and waterways to be provided; and
- (iii) to indicate measures to ensure safety of railway bridges against failure of various 'Railway affecting' works like tanks, canals, etc.

5. The Committee will, if necessary, co-opt as members any other engineers with knowledge and practical experience of construction and maintenance of bridges.

6. The Committee will endeavour to submit their report within six months.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Chairman, and Members of the Committee referred to above, the Private and Military Secretaries to the President, the Prime Minister's Secretariat, the Cabinet Secretariat, the Planning Commission, the Ministries of the Govt. of India, all the State Governments in India and all Indian Railways.

ORDERED also that the Resolution be published in the Gazette of India for general information.

D. C. BAIJAL, Secy.

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCE AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

New Delhi, the 28th February 1957

No. 19/3/57-MI.—In supersession of this Ministry's Notification No. 131(22)Vol.II53/SRI dated the 3rd October 1955, as amended from time to time the President has been pleased to approve the reconstitution of the Central Board of Geophysics with effect from the 1st March, 1957 and to appoint the following as its members for a period of 3 years:—

Representatives of the Ministry of Irrigation and Power

1. The Chairman Central Water and Power Commission, New Delhi.
2. The Secretary, Central Board of Irrigation and Power, New Delhi.

Representatives of the Survey of India

3. Surveyor-General of India, Dehra Dun.
4. The Deputy Director, Geodetic & Research Branch, Dehra Dun.

Representatives of the Geological Survey of India

5. Director, Geological Survey of India, Calcutta.
6. The Chief Geophysicist, Geological Survey of India, Calcutta.

Representatives of the Ministry of Communications

7. The Director-General of Observatories, New Delhi.
8. Seismologist, Central Seismological Observatory, Shillong.

Representative of Oil and Natural Gas Commission

Director of Geophysics, Oil and Natural Gas Commission, Dehra Dun.

Representative of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research

10. Director-General, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, New Delhi.

Representative of the Ministry of Education

11. Shri L. S. Chandrakant, Deputy Educational Adviser (Tech.), Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

Representative of the Ministry of Defence

12. Principal Scientific Officer (Navy), Defence Science Organisation, Naval Headquarters, New Delhi.

Nominated by the National Institute of Sciences of India

13. Dr. K. S. Krishnan, F.R.S., D.Sc., Director, National Physical Laboratory, Hillside Road, New Delhi.

Nominated Non-official members

14. Dr. K. R. Ramanathan, D.Sc., Director, Physical Research Laboratory, Navrangapura, Ahmedabad.

15. Dr. B. Sundararama Rao, Department of Geophysics, Andhra University, Waltair.

16. Representative of University Grants Commission.

The members of the Central Board of Geophysics will elect from amongst themselves a Chairman and a Secretary.

Procedure for the conduct of business of the Board will be decided by it.

The travelling allowances of official members will be met from the sanctioned budget grants of the Ministries and Departments concerned. The travelling allowance of the nominees of the National Institute of Sciences of India will be met by the Institute.

The non-official members, other than the nominees of the National Institute of Sciences of India, will be paid travelling allowance for attending the meetings at the rates sanctioned in the Ministry of Finance Office Memorandum No. F.10(2)-Est.II/51, dated the 12th April, 1951, as amended from time to time.

No remuneration will be admissible to members of the Board for attending the meetings.

The Board will correspond with the Government of India, in the Ministry of Natural Resources and Scientific Research.

B. N. RAMAN, Under Secy.

New Delhi, the 1st March 1957

No. 29(2)/56-MIV.—In this Ministry's Resolution No. 20(2)/56-MIV, dated the 7th February, 1957, published in Part I Section I of the Gazette of India dated the 16th February, 1957, regarding constitution of a Committee to investigate the problems relating to the beneficiation of low grade ores the following amendments shall be made, namely:—

Under the heading "Representatives of the Mineral Industry", against Serial No. 4 for words, "A representative of the Mineral Industry in Madhya Pradesh" substitute "Shri J. B. Thaker, Nagpur".

R. N. VASUDEVA, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION AND POWER

New Delhi, the 1st March 1957

No. EL-II-387(7).—In pursuance of paragraph 2 of the late Ministry of Works, Mines and Power Resolution No. EL-II-151(7), dated the 30th May, 1949, as subsequently amended by Corrigenda No. EL-II-151(7), dated the 16th July, and the 29th August, 1949, and in partial modification of the Ministry of Irrigation and Power Notification No. EL-II-387(3)/56, dated the 29th June, 1956 as amended by Corrigendum No. EL-II-387(3)/56, dated the 24th July, 1956 and Notification No. EL-II-387(5)/56, dated the 30th August, 1956, the Central Government is pleased to appoint Sarvashri V. R. Raghavan, Director, Central Water & Power Commission (Power Wing), and M. A. Idnani, Divisional Engineer, Telegraphs, Technical & Development Circle, Posts & Telegraphs Department, Jabalpur, as Members of the Central Standing Committee of Coordination of power and Telecommunication Lines, and also to appoint Shri G. S. Bhasin, Attached Financial Adviser, Ministry of Finance as a Member of the above Committee vice Shri S. S. Puri.

N. S. VASANT, Officer on Special Duty.